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For: ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES
CODING FOR TUMOR REJECTION
ANTIGEN PRECURSOR MAGE-6 AND
USES THEREOF.

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 26, 2003 (Paper No. 13) and the Telephone Interview of March 26, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims

Cancel claims 54, 57-62 and 65 without prejudice.

Add claims 68-74 as follows:

68. (New) The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 55, wherein said nucleic acid molecule is cDNA.
69. (New) An expression vector comprising the isolated cDNA molecule of claim 68, operably linked to a promoter.

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